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LOCAL BRIEFS. - "Two sweet to live" [this

weather. 1 - Elder Hassell preached at Metropolitan Hall last night to a small congregation

-A. H. Nones, of New York, and N. Proctor Smith, of San Francisco, Cal., were yesterday appointed commissioners of affidavits for this State.

--- It is a remarkable fact that January was the first month since the establishment of our penitentiary system, when not a single convict was received at that institution.

--- During the month of January 49 marriage licenses were issued from the office of the Register of Deeds of this county. Of the newly-married, 28 were white couples and 21 colored.

- A traveling genius with cheek, side-whiskers and pens, interested the natives at Market Square last night. He had a big light burning, a big crowd around him, and he took in shekels.

-The Baptist revival continues with increasing interest. The church is packed nightly. Thus far 20 persons have made professions of religion. The sermons of Rev. Mr. Hutson are attracting a great deal of attention.

____ J. M. White proposes to sell some desirable lots, improved and unimproved, in the south eastern part of the city. Those who are tired of high rents will probably secure cheap homes on easy terms. . The sale will take place on the grounds at 1 o'clock to-morrow.

The Vacant Judgeship-Gen. W. R. Cox Appointed.

His Excellency the Governor, yesterday issued his commission to Gen. W. R. Cox, as Judge of this (the fourth) judicial district, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Watts. Judge Cox dons the ermine amid the sincere congratulations of many friends, and nobody doubts that he will wear it right worthily. Under the new law of the General Assembly "to establish the ridings of the several judicial districts of the State." he will first ride the fifth district-Judge Kerr's district, the Greensboro circuitand will leave here Saturday, to open court Monday at Asheboro, Randolph

Mr. Solicitor Harris Resigns.

Mr. J. C. L. Harris, the Solicitor of this judicial district, who has been undergoing investigation before a select committee of the House, with a view to his impeachment for malfeasance in office, has tendered his resignation to the Governor to take effect on the 3rd of March. This will not be surprising intelligence. The resignation has been expected for some days past, it having been tolerably well settled that the committee would report articles of impeachment. Whether or no the Governor will accept the resignation to take effect at the date indicated, has not yet transpired.

A Countryman Robbed. The wagon of a man named Rogers, from Chatham county, who had camped in Nick Alford's lot, was robbed, Tuesday night, of a quantity of butter, eggs, whiskey and hams. A negro named Sandy Long-chum of Frank Harrison before he got into the Penwas arrested for the theft, and will have a hearing this morning. Bob. Crossan. the colored policeman who was poisoned about two years ago, was on the hunt of this self same Sandy when he was drugged.

Dime Party.

We are requested to state that the ladies of the Presbyterian Sewing Society will give a "Dime Party" at the parsonage at 75 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) evening. Admission, ten cents, and refreshments of different kinds, ten cents each. The entertainment is given for the benefit of the church, and it is hoped that it will be liberally patronized.

Appointment as Clerk. Under authority of the resolution passed by the General Assembly authorizing the Governor to employ clerical assistance in the executive department, His Excellency has appointed Mr. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, to fill the newly created clerkship, and he has entered upon his duties.

Fresh roasted and ground coffee 25 cents a pound; canned tomatoes 15 and 20 cents, peaches 25 and 30 cents, straw-berries, gooseberries, damsons and pine apples 25 cents a can, and dried apples and peaches cheap for cash at Woollcott's Open Front Store.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-'77.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 31. The Senate was called to order at 10:30 A. M., Lieutenant Governor Jarvis in the

The journal of yesterday was read and

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. Messrs, Holt, Troy, Robins and Graham, from the Finance committee; Mr. Stewart, from the Judiciary committee; Mr. Stanford, from the committee on the Insane Asylum; Mr. Finger, from the committee on Education; Mr. York, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted reports.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE. A message was received from the House announcing the passage of certain bills and resolutions, transmitting these to the Senate and asking concur-

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLU-

TIONS. By Mr. Troy: A bill to be entitled an act to protect more effectually the farmers of North Carolina from imposition in the purchase of fertilizers. Commit-

tee on Agriculture, Mechanics, Mines and Mining. By Mr. Caho: A bill to be enitled an act to re-enact sec. 9 chap. 111 Battle's Revisal. Judiciary committee. By Mr. Troy: A bill to be entitled an

act to provide for the annual collection and publication of statistics of the agricultural products and resources of the State. Committee on Agriculture, Mechanics, Mines and Mining.

Mr. Mebane, of Rockingham, introduced a bill, and stated that it was

a measure looking to a more speedy jail delivery than now obtained, which he deemed the great need of our people. That though he introduced the bili, he did not claim that it was his individual production, but that of a committee of lawyers, prominent among whom were Messrs. Graves and Rose, of the House, and Senator Coke, of Chowan, with whom he had the honor to participate in preparing this digested scheme of courts. That the bill would be held subject to the control of the caucus. He asked that the bill be read by its title and take its place upon the calendar. Title of bill: "An Act to provide for an inferior court in the several counties of the State to be styled The Court of

Common Pleas. By Mr. Folk: A bill to be entitled an act to establish and construct the Western Insane Asylum. Committee on In-

By same: A bill to give widows further time to dissent from their hus-bands's wills. Judiciary committee. By Mr. Robinson: A resolution in favor of the NEWS PUBLISHING COMPA-NY, proposing to pay it \$28.50 for publishing the notice of the sale of the Western North Carolina Railroad. Referred to the committee on Printing. By Moore, col., of New Hanover: A

bill to annex Eagle's and Smith's Islands to the county of New Hanover. Committee on Propositions and Grievances. Mr. Scales called up his resolution for the encouragement of sheep husbandry, and desired to know of the committee what action had been taken concern-

Mr. Holt, chairman of the committee on Agriculture, Mechanics, Mines and Mining, replied that a bill in relation to this matter is pending in the House, and that the Senate committee had conciuded to defer action until that bill has been definitely acted upon.

Bill to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of King's Mountain High School, Cleaveland county, came

up on its third reading.

Mr. Green offered an amendment which struck out the limitation prescribed in the bill, and made it general in its application, extending its provisions over the entire State, Mr. Sandifer argued against the

amendment. Mr. Green supported the amendment. and upon its passage asked for the yeas

and navs. The call was sustained, and the vote being taken, resulted: Yeas 2, nays 32.

The Senate refused to adopt the amend-The question recurred upon the pas sage of the bill on its third and final

reading, and it passed. MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE. A message was received from the House, announcing its concurrence in the Senate proposition to go into joint session on Friday at 12 M., for the election of 16 trustees of the University, but amending by saying 20 instead of

Scales, the Senate concurred in the House amendment, Hon. David Schenck appearing in the lobby was, upon motion of Mr. Scales, invited to a seat on the floor of the Sen-

16 trustees. Upon the motion of Mr.

THE SPECIAL ORDER.

The bill of Mr. Finger to be entitled an act to revise and consclidate the publie school law, came up at 11:30 A. M., on its second reading, as the special order, and, upon motion of Mr. Dortch, was considered by sections. It provides the machinery for putting in operation the late amendments to the constitution on the subject of fines, penalties, &c., requiring them to be paid to the respective county treasurers, to be held, together with all funds raised

by taxation for school purposes, subject to the order of district school committees. Districts are to be laid off by the county boards of education, (county commissioners) to suit the different neighborhoods, and by them a committee is to be appointed for each district, similar to the plan before the war, which committee is to have its own teachers, and have charge of its own school. An apportionment of all school funds, including tax for current year, is to be made on the first Monday in September, among the different districts, so that each one will know exactly how much money will be to its credit on the 1st day of December, the sheriff being required under heavy penalties to pay all school money by that date to the county

treasurer. Upon the reading of the several sec-

son to amend sections 32 and 37 of the bill, by adding a proviso that the commissioners may, in their discretion, allow sheriffs and tax collectors to receive school claims in payment of county taxes, and that they be allowed by the treasurer. Mr. Mebane, of Rockingham, said that the effect of this amend ment, if adopted, would be to emascu late or render nugatory, the best features of the bill; that he had carefully drawn section 32, as a member of the committee, and that the bill was not one for the protection of sheriffs, but for the relief of the poor school teach-ers, and more than that, for the elevation of the standard of common schools Our good old State, robbed as she had been of her school treasure, now doled out at best a mere pittance, and that pittan e, under the operation of the present law, went for the most part, as he was informed and believed, into the hands of the court house rings of not a few counties in the State The commit. tee offered a bill which would effectually stop the present disgraceful traffic in school orders; and how, it may be asked. Why, by not only requiring the sheriffs to pay in all school tax to the county treasurer, in money, as the former laws required-but by enforcing that provision by imposing severe penalties upon him for failure so to do. Under our bill, Mr. President, unchanged in this particular by any such amendment, the money due to each district being in the treasury on the 1st of December, the school committees will not only be advised of their resources before engag-ing the teachers, but the teachers, knowing their money to be ready for

the Senate to sustain this committee, and vote down the amendment. The amendment was not adopted. After a great deal of debate upon various amendments, the vote was ta-ken and the bill passed its second read-

them, will no longer be a prey for the

harpies who have heretofore shaven their claims and pocketed a great part of our school tax. Then, we ask

ing. by the following vote: Yeas.-Messrs. Askew, Bingham Caho, Coke, Cunningham, Dortch, Ferguson, Finger, Green, Graham. Heilig, Holt, Johnston, Latham, Mebane, of Rockingham, Mercer, Nicholson, Rob-ins, Robinson, Roberts, Sandifer, Scales, Stanford, Stewart, Thorne, Troy, Wilson, York. Nays .- Messrs. Dunn, Moore, of New Hanover, Wynne.

Yeas 28, navs 3 Upon motion of Mr. Scales the further onsideration of the bill was made the special order for to-morrow morning immediately after the call of the morning hour. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTAIVES. At 10:30 A. M., Mr. Speaker Price called the House to order.

Journal of yesterday read PETITIONS. Crews, col., presented a petition from certain colored citizens of Granville

county, asking colonization in some territory of the United States. Referred to the committee on 'Propositions and Grievances. Mr. Todd, of Ashe, presented a petition from certain citizens of Wilkes and Ashe counties, asking a change of

boundary lines. Referred to the committee on Propositions and Grievances Mr. Johnston, of Washington, a petition from certain citizens of Washington and Tyrrell counties, asking the formation of a new county to be called Scuppernong out of portions of aforesaid counties. Committee on Propositions and Grievances. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Shackelford, from the committee on Engrossed Bills; Mr. Henderson, from the committee on Corporations

Mr. Godwin, from the committee on Propositions and Grievances: Mr. Singeltary, from the committee on Railroads, Postroads and Turnpikes; Mr. Kenan, from the committee on Propositions and Grievances; Mr. Ransom from the committee on Education, submitted reports. RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS.

By Hill, col.: A resolution of inquiry as to the asylum for the colored insane. Calendar

By Mr. Todd, of Ashe: A bill to change the line between the counties of Ashe and Wilkes. Committee on Propositions and Grievances. By Mr. Carter, of Buncombe: A bill concerning the subscription of Buncombe county to the Spartanburg and Asheville Railroad. Committee on Ju-

By Crews, col.: A bill to repeal chapter 237 laws of 1874-'75, in regard to the time of holding elections in this State. Committee on Judiciary. By Bunn, col.: A bill to amend chapter 89, laws of 1874-'75, entitled an act to amend chapter 5, section 4, Battle's Revisal, in regard to preventing colored

children being bound to white masters. Committee on Judiciary.

By Reynolds, col.: A bill for the compilation of the public laws of this State. Committee on Judiciary.

CALENDAR.

On motion of Mr. Moring, the bill to allow the commissioners of Chatham county to collect arrears of taxes, was taken up and passed its several read-

On motion of Mr. Johnston, of Washington, the bill to authorize the commissioners of Carteret county to levy a special tax was taken up and passed its third reading by a vote of yeas 79, nays 0. On motion of Mr. Henderson, the

Senate resolution to go into an election for 16 Trustees of the University, in joint session, on Friday, February 2. at 12 M., was adopted after being amend ed as to read 20 Trustees. On motion of Mr. Stevenson, the bill to secure the better drainage of the

lowlands of the South Yadkin river, in Alexander county, was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Cale, col, the bill to incorporate the United Brothers and Sisters of Love and Charity, Elizabeth City, was taken up and passed its several readings.

Manufacturing Company, Chatham county, was taken up and passed its several readings. The bill to change the dividing line between the counties of Brunswick and

The bill to incorporate the Bynum

Columbus, was taken up and passed its several readings.

The bill to authorize the Commissioners of Pasquotank county to levy a special tax, was taken up and passed its second reading by a vote of yeas 88.

SPECIAL ORDER The bill to repeal chapter 84, public laws of 1874-75, in regard to the rate of interest, known as the usury law,

was taken up.

The bill repeals the present law and fixes the legal rate at 6 per cent. though 8 per cent. is allowed by special con-tract. The penalty is the forfeiture of the entire interest. The bill is a Senate one and was reported favorably up-

on by the committee on Finance. Mr. Singeltary took the floor in oppo sition to the passage of the bill and en-tered into an elaborate argument. He regarded all attempts to interfere with the present usury law as a strike for much higher rates of interest, and adverse to the best interests of the whole

At the conclusion of Mr. Singeltary's remarks, and pending definite action on the bill, the hour for the session of the COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, 12:30 P. M., arrived. Mr. Pinnix took the chair and the committee resumed the consideration of the bill for the collection of taxes by the State, the "Machinery Bill."

On motion of Mr. Kenan, mittee rose. The chairman reported progress and begged leave to sit again. The report was adopted and leave to sit again was granted.

resolution to investigate the affairs of the Adjutant General's office. On motion of Mr. Roberts, the rules were suspended and the resolution was adopted. Adjourned

By consent, Mr. Roberts introduced a

THE MAGNIN MATTER. The Proceedings in the Case Yester-

day -- A Large Crowd and Deep u-terest. Yesterday morning the Court House was packed with a crowd eager to hear the conclusion of the jury packing mat-

ter. Promptly at 10 o'clock, Judge Schenck took his seat on the bench, and the case, that of Joseph A. Haywood vs. Marcellus Rogers, was called, and, the defendant, through his counsel, Messrs. Busbee & Busbee, filed an affidavit denying any collusion with Magninin the selection of the jury. Defendant's counsel stated that the jury, having heard the discussion as to the manner of its selection, had been so prejudiced that they would be afraid to render a verdict for the defendant, and he would therefore consent that the motion for a continuance should be granted.

The case was about to end there, when Col. Ed. G. Haywood, counsel for Magnin, requested that the Rogers should read Magnin's affidavit, as part of the case. The affidavit denied the charge of corruptly and fraudulently packing the jury, and stated that if he had smiled or shrugged his shoulders at Rogers he has done so unconsciously. Magnin set forth in his affidavit that Haywood's action in this matter had been prompted by a purpose to advertise himself as chairman of the Democratic County Committee, &c., &c. This affidavit having been read and commented upon by Mr. F. H. Busbee, Judge Fowle offered affidavits from Len. H. Adams, J. P. Prairie, Porter Steadman and others, swearing that they did not believe Magnin an honest man and that they would not believe him on oath in a matter in which he was interested. After the reading of these affidavits.

Judge Fowle, the senior counsel for the plaintiff, addressed the court. He denounced the affidavits of Magnin and Rogers as base fabrications and utterly devoid of truth. Our people have heard him in some of his brilliant efforts, both at the forum and on the hustings, but it was the universal opinion of those who heard him yesterday that this speech fully equalled, if not excelled, the best effort of his life. We regret that space permits only the following verbatim report of his eloquent remarks, which rivetted all the way through the deep attention of all present. In conclusion, Judge Fowle said:

I ask, may it please your Honor, that these affidavits may be filed, showing that Albert Magnin is a man of bad character and would not be believed on oath in any matter in which he is interested. I ask it in the name of the city of Raleigh, whose prosperity will be impeded if the actions of this bad man are not properly rebuked, and ask it in the name of Wake county, whose fair fame has been tarnished by tempted prostitution of justice. I ask it in the name of North Carolina, whose escutcheon has been soiled because portion of her sovereignty has been exercised by this faithless officer. I ask it in the name of Justice, who, sitting high and blindfolded upon her tribunal relies upon the vigilance of her presic'. ing officer to prevent impure and unholy hands from ministering at her altars. Let his action receive the proper condemnation, and if in the future any other as bad as he should be called upon to perform functions in this holy temple of justice, that he may remember Albert Magnin, and the proceedings in this case, and tremble in the midst of his

wickedness. In the prosecution of this matter the plaintiff's course has been highly commended by the whole community, and is but an additional act entitling Joseph A. Hayward so the thanks and good wishes of every honest man in Wake

At the close of Judge Fowle's remarks, Judge Schenck instructed the clerk to mark the car continued, and the regular order of business was resumed. The next step expected by the community is that a rule will be served upon Magnin to show cause why he should not be attached for contempt, but whether or no this course will be taken cannot yet be told, as the matter rests entirely with the court, which has thus far not announced its purpose in

the premises. The speech of the plaintiff's junior

counsel, Geo. H. Snow, Esq., made Tuesday, when a motion for a new trial was submitted, is highly commended on all sides. The best judges accord

to the effort the highest meed of praise. It was the universal statement that his emarks were most appropriate, strong and incisive, and delivered in a manner that must necessarily add to the already high reputation of this rising young lawyer.

Supreme Court.

Court met yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, all the Justices present, when appeals from the tenth and eleventh districts were takenup and considered as follows:

Jesse Yates vs. Robert Yates et al., from Watauga: argued. Folk & Armfield and Scott & Caldwell for plaintiff, T. J. Wilson and H. Bingham, for defendant.

State vs Adolphus Gudger. et al, from Madison. Attorney General for State. no counsel for defendants. Papers handed up.

P. Rollins et al. vs. Bishop, Johnston et al., from Buncombe: argued. J. H. Merrimon for plaintiffs, Battle & Mordecai and C. A. Moore for defendants. P- Rolling et al vs. W. L. Henry, from

Buncombe: argued. Same counsel as above. P. Rollins et al. vs. Edward Sams

from Buncombe: argued. Same counsel as above. P. Rollins et al. vs. Hugh Bishop, from Buncombe: argued. Same coun-

State vs. F. M. Ferguson, from Yancey: argued. Attorney General for the State, W. H. Malone for defendant. P. Rollins et al. vs. R. M. and W. L. Henry, from Buucombe: argued. J. H. Merrimon for plaintiffs, Battle & Mor-

decai and C. A. Moore for defendants.

Meeting of Trustees. The trustees of the University held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the executive office. The attendance was quite large. The reports of the President and Treasurer of the institution were received. A resolution was passed providing for one straight session during the year, the whole vacation to be in the summer. Gov. Vance was chosen to deliver an address at the next commencement, upon the

ter and work of the late Gov. Swain. Colonization. The Court House was crowded last night with colored people, who assembled there to consider the question of colonization, and to unite in a petition to Congress to appropriate territory for them where they might go and live to themselves, or else furnish them

transportation to Liberia. Several

speeches were made in favor of the col-

onization idea. Wm. Matthews presided over the meeting.

13 5-16a11-32; November 13 1-16a1/8; Decem-Where Are They ! John Pool writes to this city that the Indian money is all right. He says he spent it in buying books for the Indians. It may be so, but where are the books? The Indians have never received them, and are perishing for lack of knowl-

J. H. Mills, Esq., of the Orphan Asy-

lum, is in the city. The most ill-natured journalist in the State, W. . Ball, of the Greensboro New North State, is at the Yarbrough.

Iu those advanced stages of bronchial disease, where great organic decay pre-oludes the possibility of restoration, Dr. Bull's Cough Surup gives very grateful ease to the weary sufferer. We call attention to the special no tice of Messrs. A. C. Sanders & Co., and their advertisement in to-day's issue. They are men who say what they

mean, and mean what they say. So we would advise all who owe them to call on them over Dodd's corner, with the cash as soon as they finish reading this, or somebody will have trouble. They still handle the old Star guano and intend paying particular attention to the cotton and commission business in which they are unequalled.

We call attention this morning to the notice of the dissolution of that well known firm of grocers and liquor dealers, Messrs. Rogers & Parham. It will be seen that Mr. Will. T. Rogers so long and favorably known in this State and city as a dealer in Kentucky horses and mules, expects to return to his old and long established business and has sold his interest in the firm of Rogers & Parham to Mr. Henry E. Parham, the well known caterer of the Yarbrough House, who will, with his brother, Mr. R. E. Parham, continue to dispense the good things of life to the many friends of the

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TOTICE OF PRIVATE ACT Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina, at its present session, for the passage of a law to incorporate the Farmers' Savings Bank of Ridgeway, N. C. jan. 23 lm.

PRICE: \$5.00. COMMERCIAL REPORT. COTTON.

Reported by J. J. THOMAS. RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 31, 1877. Middling, Striet Low Middling, Low Middling, Striet Good Ordinary, Good Ordinary, Ordinary, Ordinary, Middling Stains, Low Middling Stains, Good Ordinary Stains, Ordinary Stains

Tone of market—weak, owing to decline of 3 16 in New York. General Merchandise. WHOLESALE CASH PRICES.

Corrected by WAINWRIGHT, WILLIAMS & HOOD. By appointment from Board of Trade COTTON TIES, new, 71/2 cents. BAGGING, 21/4 lbs. to yard, 14.

BAGGING, 2½ 1bs. to yaru, 55.
CORN, 65.
CORN, 65.
CORN MEAL, 87½.
FLOUR, family, North Carolina, 86.00a7.50
MEAT, Clear Rib Bulk Sides, 11½.
PORK, N. C. 8½a9.
LARD, Western, 15.
COFFEE, kio, 20, 23½a25.
SUGAR, white, 12½a14.

yellow, 10½a12½.
SALT, Liverpool, fine, 82.25.
LEATHER, Red Sole, 25a2s.
BUTTER, N. C., 20a30.
BEESWAX, 20a25.
EGGS, per dozen, 25a30.

BEESWAX, 20a25. EGGS, per dozen, 25a30. RAGS, 224. OATS, shelled, 60a65. Sheaf, \$1.25. FODDER, 80a\$1.25. POTATOES, swezt, 60 cts. per bushel. Irish, 60a\$1.00.

Henderson Tobacco Market.

Reported by J. S. MEMDOWS & Co.

HENDERSON, Jan. 31.—The receipts since our ast reports have been very good and prices have been fairly maintained, buyers showing considerable anxiety for new tobacco. To our friends and customers among the farm ers we extend our congratulations. The growing of tobacco has paid, and is to-day paying a better reward to you than any other erop especially where it is properly grown, and after maturity properly managed and prepared for market as it should be. We cannot close without once more urging you took want the highest market price for your to. bacco to assort closely, and if possible avoid putting two lengths and sorts in the same

WRAPPERS.

We quote our market for bright tobacco

(new crop) as follows:

Good to very good, Fine and Faney. TELEGRAPHI

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 31.-Cotton-Futures weak-

er; uplands and low middlings clause; March and April delivery, 6 29-32; April and Mag delivery 7. Turpentine, 33. New York, Jan. 31.-Money easier, being offered at 4 per cent. Sterling exchange quiet at 31/2. Gold quiet at 51/4a5%. Government securities weak; State bonds quiet

consolidated net receipts, 9664; exports to Great Britain, 49,581, France, 13,670; continen. 10,548; channel, 2,977. Cotton for future delivery closed weak, with sales of 35,00) bales, as follows: February 13 1-16a3-32; March 131/4a9-32; April 131/4; May 13 11-16; June 13 27-32; July 13 15-16a31-32; August 14; September 13 21-32a23-32; October

Cotton firm-sales of 469 bales at 131/ga1/4;

Flour dull, and in buyers' favor; on y limited business, mainly for present wants of jobbing trade; southern flour dull and heavy. common to fair extra 5.30a7; good to choice . 5a8.75. Wheat slightly in buyers' favor. Corn a shade firmer, without any decided change. Rice moderate business for export and home use. Oats dull and heavy. Coffee-Rio quiet and unchanged. Sugar easier at 9% a9%. Standard A and New On leans Molasses, fair demand, 45a56, Pork opened easier and closed a shade firmer-uninspected new mess 17.50. Lard opened heavy but closed shade firmer-prime steam closing 11.20. Whiskey unsettled. Freights to Liver

pool lower. WILMINGTON, Jan. 31.-Cotton firm-middling 12%; net receipts 837; sales 66; exports coastwise 1.165.

NORFOLK, Jan. 31.—Cotton quiet—middling. 121/4a%; net receipts, 1,758; sales 350; exports coastwise 6,918. BALTIMORE, Jan. 31.-Cotton firmermiddling, 121/8; net receipts 80; gross 216; sales 490; exports to Great Britain 760; coastwise 110. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.-Cotton quietmiddling 13¾; gross receipts 695.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 31 .- Cotton-quiet and firm-middling 12%; net receipts 2,976; sales 350; exports coastwise 355. PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

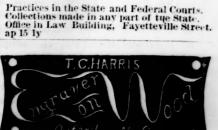
dling 131/4; net receipts 577; gross 597.

Boston, Jan. 31.-Cotton quiet-mid-

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ALL eyes turn now to Washington. JUDGE Schenck knows well how maintain the dignity of the Court.

MR. EPPA HUNTON, of Virginia, Southern man on the High

THE county government bill comes up to-day in the Senate. Its passage, with possibly some amendments is a foregone conclusion.

THE National Republican is gloomy

over the situation. It seems to think That the Republicans have thrown away Mr. Haves' chances for the Presidency. THE counsel to the Democratic mem

bers of the commission consists o Judge Black, Messrs. Trumbull, Carpenter, Merrick and Judge Hoadley, of Cincinnati.

It is asserted that Mr. Conkling was dission at his own urhealth not permitting service would require. selection of Messrs, Edmunds, Morton and Frelinghuysen, and his advice fixed the choice of these men.

On the outside of our paper will be seen the speech of Senator Moore, of Mecklenburg, on the Western North Carolina Railroad Bill. It is a fine effort, creditable to Mecklenburg's gallant young son, and his many friends in the West will read it with interest

THE School Bill introduced by Senator Finger passed its second reading yesterday in the Senate, by a vote which indicates its final passage beyond a doubt. It has many excellent features. A synopsis of its leading parts appears in our report of the Legislative proceedings of vesterday.

This is a day of compromises. Should Tilden be seated, and the bill for the relief of the last be passed, and the Western North Carolina Railroad bill become a law, we shall believe that Edmund Burke told the truth when he wrote that "all government, indeed every human benefit and enjoyment, every virtue and every prudent act, is founded on compromise and barter."

SHERIFF Nowell is a very clever man but if he keeps such deputies around him as Mr. Magnin, people will change their minds about it. He should immediately discharge Mr. Magnin from his service. He will be held rigidly responsible for retaining him as one of his deputies after the conduct of that officer in the Superior Court of Wake now sitting.

THE electoral bill provides that the joint meeting shall be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives. This is in accordance with an almost unbroken custom, the two Houses having met in the Senate Hall only five times and then only in the earlier period of our history. The original plan of the conspirators contemplated a departure from this ancient custom. It was their purpose to have the House of Represertatives go over to the Senate chamber. This was in accordance with the erroneus view which the extremists attempted to force upon the country, that the Senate was superior to the House in everything pertaining to the counting

THE joint commission of the two Houses of Congress assembles to-day at 1 o'clock in the hall of the House of Representatives; and the counting of the votes will begin. Alabama will be the first State called. It is hinted that some of the Republican Senators and members intend objecting to the vote of this State on the general ground of fraud and intimidation. If

this is done the House will refuse to enstain the objections, and the votes will accordingly be counted for Mr. Tilden, in accordance with the electoral bill. Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut and Delaware will be called in succession and counted without objection. Then comes Florida, which appears with two sets of returns. Here the count will stop, and the returns will be sent to the commission for its ex-

amination.

THE FLORIDA CASI Florida's elector vote garding the election in that State be- culty. The ultra opponents of the comcome of unusual importance. The House committee has not yet reported. The majority of the Senate committee reported day before yesterday.

"The conclusions are of course" says the N. Y. Herald, "such as are reached from a strictly Republican process of investigation and reasoning, just as the the appointment of Mr. Conkling. report of the majority of the House committee will be framed from a Demoof the returns originally, which was in- is true that a majority creased by a process of pruning entirely Board, and argues that Congress cannot go behind the certificate of the Board, although they may go behind the certificate of a Governor who is not a returning board. In other words, they cannot go behind the certificate which gives Florida and Louisiana to Hayes, but may go behind the certificate that gives one Oregon vote to Tilden .-The Democratic report will declare the black of the Republican report to be white and the white black."

RESIGNATION OF SOLICITOR HARRIS.

It is understood that the Solicitor of this Judicial District has tendered his resignation to Governor Vance. This indicates a willingness on the part of Mr. Harris to retire from his office rather than undergo a trial before a court of impeachment. In taking this course he may be actuated either by the fear of exposure, or by a desire to avoid the trouble, annovance and expense of a trial. It will be taken by the public as tantamount to a confession that there are facts connected with his administration of the office of Solicitor sufficient to constitute grounds on which to base articles of impeachment.

It may be said that the resignation of Mr. Harris should not be accepted, Because public justice requires his punishment for the malversation in office of which he has been guilty. And because if he be permitted to resign, he will not be disabled from holding office, and may again be elected to some public place-possibly the solicitorship which he now proposes to vacate whereas if he were impeached he would be forever disqualified from holding of-

On the other hand this proposed resignation will accomplish the main purpose of the investigation, which is his removal from office, on account of his mis anduct in its management.

lean treasury, to little or no good. If the retiring Solicitor has committed an offence or offences in violation of the criminal statutes of North Carolina, he should be indicted by the grand jnry. It may be that the alteration of a grand jury's endorsemement is a crime or a as satisfactory as by impeachment, and

Mr. Harris has many friends, who regret his departure from the path of official rectitude, and who have been sorry to see him affiliating with a corrupt party. He is a young man, possessed of some good qualities; and he may yet retrieve his reputation. We hope he may.

far more economical.

FORMATION OF THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION.

The Electoral Commission is consti tuted as follows: From the Senate. Messrs. Edmunds, of Vermont, Morton, of Indiana, and Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, Republicans; and Messrs. Representatives, Messrs. Payne, of and settled in Edgecombe county.-Mass., Republicans. From the Supreme Court, Justices Clifford, of Maine. and Field, of California, Democrats; and Justices Miller, of Iowa, Strong, of Pennsylvania, and Bradley, of New Jersey, Republicans. Justice Clifford. being the senior justice, is, under the bill, the President of the Commission. Of these, Messrs. Edmunds, Frelinghuysen, Thurman, Bayard, Payne, Hunton, and Hoar, signed the report of electoral bill. Mr. Morton was the refused to agree to the report.

The Democratic branch of this tribunal is wisely chosen. No extreme partisans were appointed. Messrs. Bayard, Thurman, Payne, Abbott and Hunton, are not only eminent for ability, but are men who will go into the consideration of the questions to be referred to them, firmly convinced that

Mr. Tilden has been lawfully, honestly and fairly elected President; yet not so prejudiced as to resist plain reason or known. But they are life-long Democrats, and may be relied upon to do extrust them with its fortunes.

In the composition of the Republican bill who believe its provisions fair and praise that his command lost none of its

d the bill, as unc to Mr. Hayes, and un ary to the colution of the diffi-

promise tried to crowd its supporters out of any representation upon the commission. If they could have helped it, neither of the three Republicans who signed the report would have been chosen, nor anybody who voted for it. These ultras succeeded in preventing

In the formation of this tribunal, Mr. Haves has somewhat the advantage cratic point of view. The Republican over Mr. Tilden. There are eight Rereport alleges that the Hayes electors in publicans to seven Democrats, giving Florida had a small majority on the face the Republicans one majority. It

the commission consists of within the power of the State Canvassing minded men who have not been so swayed by party feeling in the recent discussions as to make it impossible for them to deal impartially: but there are republicans on it who have distinguished themselves as bitter, malignant, aggressive partisans, and who are so strongly committed that no evidence or argument is likely to change their opinion. What more stubborn and vehement partisans could have been chosen than Morton and Garfield? They have prejudged the whole case. They regard the commission as a flagrant violation of the constitution. The appointment of such men is nothing less than a mockery.

In the commonest jury trial, the jurors are selected from unbiased men: yet upon this high commission organized to decide the destinies of a nation. the leading spirits are known to be deeply prejudiced. They were put on to serve party. The republicans selected Morton and Garfield, the most unyeilding, uncompromising partisans in Congress, in order that the chances of Mr. Hayes may not suffer from any lukewarmness or any spirit of conciliation. Our main hope of an impartial decision, must rest upon the binding force of the oath which each of the fifteen members of this tribunal are to take before entering on his duties .-The oath is as follows: "I do solemnly swear that I will impartially examine and consider all questions submitted to the commission of which I am a member, and a true judgment give thereon, agreeably to the constitution and the laws. So help me God."

This oath will be administered to the several members of the commission today, and then they will be ready to hear such questions as the two Houses of Congress may refer to them. We will keep our readers thoroughly informed of the proceedings, of the commission each

JUDGE WM. R. COX.

cution, but simply a desire to relieve appointed by the Governor Judge of the the people of an unworthy official. That Fourth Judicial district, was born in object being accomplished, by the re- Scotland Neck, Halifax county March signation, further proceedings would 11th, 1831, and is therefore forty-six only take up the valuable time of the years old. His father, Thomas Cox, Legislature, and spend money from our was a native of Chowan county, a prominent merchant of the firm of Devereux. Clark & Co., Plymouth, and Maitland & Cox. Philadelphia. He represented Washington county in the Senate in 1823.

The mother of Judge Cox was Miss Olivia Norfleet, of Halifax county, and sister to Mrs. Weldon N. Edwards. misdemeanor. If so, the punishment His father having removed to Halifax of Mr. Harris could be secured in a way in 1825, died there in 1836, and Mrs. Cox, to join an elder sister, removed to Nashville, Tennessee.

The subject of this sketch, after due reparation entered Franklin College in 1846, graduating with distinction in 1850. Choosing the law for his profession he then entered the Lebanon Law school, receiving his degree in 1852. Going to the Nashville bar he formed a most advantageous copartnership with the Hon. John G. Ferguson. a very accomplished and experienced member of the Tennessee bar, with whom he continued to practice during his residence in that State.

In 1857, Mr. Cox married Miss P. B. Battle, of Tarboro, and relinquishing Bayard, of Delaware, and Thurman, of his practice he moved to North Caro-Ohio, Democrats. From the House of lina, in 1858, to engage in agriculture, Ohio, Abbott, of Massachusetts, and Early in 1859 he removed to this city. Hunton, of Virginia, Democrats; and and in the ensuing year was nominated Messrs, Garfield, of Ohio, and Hoar, of by the Democratic party a candidate for the House of Commons on a ticket with E. G. Haywood and Henry Mordecai, opposed by Hons. Sion H. Rogers, Kemp P. Battle and J. P. H. Russ, and he was defeated by only thirteen

While reared in the school of State's Rights Mr. Cox was opposed to the war, but when war became inevitable he contributed to the equipment of an artillery company, and began to recruit a the joint committee which framed the company of infantry, when Governor Ellis tendered him a commission as only member of the committee who major of the second regiment, of which the gallant C. C. Tew was colonel, Judge W. P. Bynum lieutentant-colonel, and Judges Faircloth and Hilliard quartermaster and commissary respec-

tively. On the death of Colonel Tew at Sharpsburg, Major Cox became lieutenant colonel following the promotion of Colonel Bynum to the command of the regiment. On the resignation of Colone Bynum to accept the office of Solicitor to which he had been elected subse justice. The convictions of Justices quent to the battle of Fredericksburg, Clifford and Field are not definitely Colonel Cox came into full command of the regiment, in which position he participated in the various battles of Jackact justice. The Democratic party can son's corps. After the battle of Spotsylvania, as brigadier-general, he was placed in command of Ramseur's branch, the two principal shades of celebrated brigade, the 2nd, 4th, 14th opinion existing among the Republicans and 30th regiments, and parts of the in regard to the bill, are represented. 1st and 3rd regiments of Stuart's Messrs. Edmunds, Frelinghuysen and brigade, which position he held to the Hoar represent the warm friends of the close of the war, and it is no small

prestige under the leadership of Gen eral Cox. It was the last brigate to charge and fire into the ranks of the Federal army on that memorable day at Appomattox.

General Cox was several times severely wounded, receiving in all eleven wounds during the war, which show that he spared not himself in the emergencies of the deadly conflict, and the history of his noble command is recorded on the brightest pages of the history of the army of Northern Virginia, honored as it was by being of Jackson's corps, and after his fall serving under the immediate command of Gen-

At the close of the war General Cox resumed his profession, declining in the early days of reconstruction to engage in politics, but in 1868 coasented to run for the office of Solicitor as it was in the line of his profession. He had no expectation, however, of election, the district then being some four thousand Republican majority, but he triumphed over Col. Edward Cantwell, the Republican nominee, by twenty-seven majority. Entering upon his duties he filled the office of Solicitor, for six years, with such rare acceptability as to have so endeared himself to the people that they have ever since been ready to support him for any public position.

On the death of Hon, D. M. Barrin ger, General Cox was selected for the position of Chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee which he has continued to fill until he resigned it vesterday.

As Chairman of the Demogratic State Committee General Cox did his whole duty-performed high and efficient service-in behalf of his State, his people and his party. He brought about the best possible organization of the party. In the contest for Constitutional reform in 1875 he took the field in the West with Governor Vance, and we cannot doubt that the energy of his committee management, and the vigor of his canvass contributed to the result which saved the State and the party in the hour of our greatest political peril. It is not necessary to enlarge upon his conduct and services in the late campaign. The people of the whole State are familiar with them, while the magnificent result is ample evidence of the efficiency of his work from the central headquarters. General Cox represents in himself, and has vindicated by his conduct of party affairs, the best elements and the highest sentiments of National Democratic polities. He is eminently worthy of any place in the public service, and it was as no mere mention that his name has been frequently presented in connection with the highest positions within the gift of

the people. course was impartial and non-partisan. From Appomatox he brought none of the fire of the war on his garments, Figuring as he recently has in a position of the most prominent party management, Judge Cox will yet take with him none of his politics to the Bench. Amply qualified through his endowments from nature, his culture of mind, habits of thought and the practice of his profession, for the high station to which he has been chosen, the appointment is one eminently proper to have been made, and we are glad to record that the judicial robes of the fourth district have so happily fallen on the shoulders of one whose courteous bearing toward all, and whose deportment of himself in every position he has occupied, proclaim his title to that highest of earthly dis-

tinctions-gentleman. DAVIS ON KILPATRICK.

The special Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Times brings Hon. J. J. Davis, of this Congressional District, into the debate in the House on the great bill, after this fashion:

Then, as though the South was bound to cover itself with glory to-day in one way or another, a man from North Carolina (Davis) got up and convulsed the House with laughter by leaving the constitutional part of the question devoting himself to the annihilating General Judson Kilpatrick, one of Z. Chandler's army of "messengers" the South a day or two after election. This part of the speech will probably not come by general press dispatches and I "catch it on the fly" for the benefit of your New Jersey readers and General Kilpatrick. The following was greeted at its various points with yells of laughter:

KILPATRICK BEATS SAM WELLER. Kilpatrick * * * that man went lown with a letter indorsing his character from the the chairman of the Republican committee, and when he got o North Carolina, on the 9th day of November, he writes to the New York Times, a letter in which he says that what he witnessed on Tuesday (that is two days before election day) horrified him, and then after giving a detailed account of the election and of what he witnessed down there, he goes into de tails in regard to a vote at a place called Henderson, in my district. I only de sire to say, in regard to these statements, that they are all, in general and in detail, willfully, outrageously untrue .-Because—will you believe it?—the man although he spoke of what he saw, was not on that day in North Carolina at all.

He was up in his home in New Jersey. Why, sir, he had powerful optics. If Dodson and Fogg, counsel in the cele-brated Bardell vs. Pickwick case, had found such a witness, Sergeant Buzfuz would not have been troubled so much as he was by Sam Weller. Have you a pair of eyes, Mr. Wel-

ler?" asked Sergeant Buztuz. "Yes, I have a pair of eyes," replied Sam. "and that's just it. If they was a pair o' patent, double million magnifyin' gas niroscopes of hextra power p'raps might be able to see through a flight of stairs and a deal door, but bein only eyes, you see, my wision's limited." Why, sir, if this man Kilpatrick had been the witness he would have seen no "deal door" in his way, no "flight or He would have seen the fainting fit and Sergeaut Buzfuz would have had a triumphant victory over Pickwick, and Mrs. Bardell would have gotten no

end of "smart" money that came from

his pocket. [Uproarious laughter.

Wayne Superior Court, so far, sends

one additional hand to help finish the N. C. R. R. The Mecklenburg Good Templars

have a big meeting at Mallard Creek Church Feb. 21.

A new store and a new carriage shop are going up rapidly in Goldsboro. Col. Humphrey owns the first, R. E. Jones Bishop Gibbons lectured to a large

audience at the Catholic Church, in Charlotte, Monday evening of last A number of ladies of Newbern con-

template getting up a festival in that city at an early day, to raise funds for the enefit of the Oxford Orphan Asylum The authorities of Newbern are begining to enforce the vagrant act against those who hang around loose, with no isible means of support.

Meales is raging in and around Conord-fourteen families in which from one to six new cases broke in one day. says the Register.

They have a brass brass band in Concord, and a professor has arrived there from Philadelphia to set them to tooting eientifically. They do die, sometimes, in the region

as we see they are moving to open a new cemetery there. The house of Capt. James P. Speight of Greene county, was entered by burglars, one night last week, and robbed

857 in money.

of Morganton, though mostly of old age

A darkey, carelessly handling his gun, Goldsboro, last week, fired it off, sending the charge into a window of the residence of Mr. W. U. Finlayson. Fortunately no one was looking out a that particular window at the time.

PERSONAL.

Queen Victoria is growing gray.

Bates, the sergeant, is sawing wood Little Lotta has retired-temp rarily from the stage to let her hair grow.

Marshal Bazaine and his family ar

now residing in great poverty at a little Orton isn't healthy, so Congress ex

cused him; like Mark Twain, he could tell a lie, but he wouldn't.

Moody and Sankey, soul agents for the United States, are now in Boston re-viving business tremenduously. Mme. Adelina Patti and Mme. Paul

ine Lucca are now delighting the Russian amateurs at the St. Petersburg Italian Opera House. Dr. Barnes Sears, the distinguished ed-

ucator and agent of the Peabody educational fund for the South, is in Dallas, vas lecturing to the peop It is said that Earl Dudley, of Eng-

land, lias offered to bet \$25,000 to \$25 that the son of Napoleon III will be officially proclaimed Emperor of France during the Earl's lifetime, and that the odds were at once accepted by the Prince of Wales and three other per-

Thiers does not like that President MacMahon should be addicted to the sports of the field. The President of France is not a studious man, but a soldier and a sportsman, who takes lightly and gayly to amusements, enjoys billiards and his pipe with his children about him, and is content over a game at cards with his wife afterwards.

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TERMS CASH.

GEORGE W. WYNNE

GEORGE W. WYNNE, W. W. JONES, Attorney.

HORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE By virtue of the provisions of a deed of mortgage executed by shade Branch, Ann Branch, John Branch and Easter Branch, to the undersigned, dated the 6th day of Auto the undersigned, dated the 6th day of August, 1875, and registered in the negister's office, in Book 41, p. 599, I will, on Saturday the 17th day of rebruary 1877, at 120 clock, m., sell at the court riouse door in the city of Raleigh, the following described lots of land situated on the street leading to the Insane Asylum, adjoining the land of sylvester's mich and A sorrell each lot containing 25 of an

and A. sorrell, each lot containing 1/8 of an acre and more particularly described in said mortgage. Terms of sale, cash. P.C. WALKER.

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SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE. By virtue and in pursuance of authority given in certain Mortgages executed by A. A. Green and Miss Josephine E. E. Green, as well as by special directions of mortgages, which said mortgages are recorded in books 38 page 723, and book 39 page 233 of Register's office of Wake county, I will sell, on the 31st-day of January, 1877, at the court house door in Rabich at 12 wheek M. at matthe anction the

Wake county, I will sell, on the 31st-day of January, 1877, at the court house door in Raleigh, at 12 o'clock M., at public auction, the real estate in said mortgages described, consisting of two tracts, lying near the city of Raieigh and known as a portion of the feyant Green land, one tract containing 115 acres and the other 119% acres.

Terms of saie CASH. W. H. PACE, Attorney of Mortgages. Attorney of Mortgagees. Raleigh, Jan. 8th, 1877. d til s RORSALE

Between five and six thousand acres of well timbered PINE LAND, all in one body, suitable for procuring turpentine, located about five miles from the city of Brunswick, Ga, and directly on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad, and also on a water course, where vessels drawing from ten to fifteen feet of water can go at all seasons of the year. This is one of the most convenient and desirable tracts of land on the scabbard, on which to locate turpentine works, and it will be sold low tracts of land on the scaboard, on which to locate turpentine works, and it will be sold low to close up a claim held by this bank if not applied for sooner.

Persons wishing to purchase such a piece of property will please address me at this place.

1. C. PLANT,

Pres. of the First Nat. Bank,
Macon, Ga.

de 19-dltaw&w til feb 20.

T N B A N K R U P T C Y In the matter of John Devereux, Bankrupt. Noticel's hereby given that a general meet-

Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the creditors of John Devereux, bankrupt, will be held at the negister's office in kaleigh, N. C., before A. W. Shaffer, Esq., feglister in Bankruptey, on the 1st day of February, 1877, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

WALTER CLARK. J. R. WALTER CLARK, Trustees, R. C. BADGER, Raleigh, N. C. Bander, Raleigh, N. C. Jan. 4th, 1877.

ALE OF VALUABLE LAND AT AUC-

By virtue of a judgment rendered at the last term of Wake Superior Court in the case of W. N. H. Smith, assignee of Ellen Harrison and others, against W. Garl Brown and P. Cowper, I shall on the 5th day of February 1877 at the Courthouse door in Raleigh, sell for cash, that parcel of land known as the Rourke land, on north side of Newbern Avenue, adjoining the lands of N. V. Denton and others, and estimated to contain fifteen and Il-liv acres.

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M. T. NORRIS,
W. A. MYATT, JR. Raleigh, Jan. 4th, 1877.

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NEWS DAILY

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WASHINGTON.

A Week to be Memorable in the Country's History.

WORK OF THE ELECTORAL COM-MISSION.

Opinions on the Scope of Its Powers and Duties.

The week which opens to-day will be one of the most memorable in the country's history. To-day, says the Washington correspondent of the N. Y. Herald; at one o'clock, the two houses will assemble in the Hall of Representatives. the Vice-President will preside over the joint meeting, and he will then proceed to open the certificates in his possession, beginning with that of Alabama and proceeding alphabetically, and, as he opens each, he will hand it to the four tellers—two from each house—who will be previously appointed. When the first certificate is read the Vice-President will call for objections. If none are made he will then pass to the next State. If objection is made it must be immediate, in writing, concise and without argument, and must be signed by at least one member of each house. Such objections being thus presented the Senate will then withdraw to its Chamber and each house will vote upon the objections, two hours' de-bate only being allowed upon each State. If the two houses concur in rejecting the vety of a State it will be excluded. If they de not concur the vote will be received. Whenever, however, the Vice President shall open two conflicting certificates from the same State these returns will be at once submitted to the Electoral Commission, and the opening and counting of votes will cease until the commission renders its decision. The decision will then be voted on by the two houses, acting separately, and, unless they concur in rejecting it, it will stand. vote which is thus declared legal and proper will be counted, and the opening and counting will proceed until other objections are raised or until another set of duplicate certificates is reached.

It is not probable that objections will the first made States. Florida stands seventh on the list and appears with two sets of returns. liere the first day's count will stop and the returns will be sent to the commission for its examination.

It is supposed that three different views may be brought forward in the commission as to the scope and nature its powers and duties. Some members will probably maintain that they cannot go further than to examine criteally the form and certification of returns and that the one which is strictly in conformity with law, must be accepted. Others will probably hold that the commission may and must be satisfied whether the action of the returning beard—even if it has received the proper certification-was legal, and whether the returning board was legally constituted. Yet others may think that the commission shall overhaul all the election returns of a State. It is not proba-ble that the last named view will receive much favor in the commission. While the commission is engaged upon the vote of Florida the two houses will separate, and may, until they receive a report upon the State, proceed with other business. If Florida should be decided for Mr. Tilden that would, of course, decide his election. If it should be given to Mr. Hayes the count would then proceed until, after six more States had been counted, Louisiana was reached. Here another set of double returns would be submitted to the commission. Louisiana being decided, Oregon would be the next State turned over to the commission and South Carolina the last.

The peculiar condition of the Florida vote, as well as the fact that it is the first State to come up with double re-turns, makes the verdict in that case of ancommon interest. The Florida committees have not yet reported, and no facts are officially before Congress about the vote or the conduct of the return-ing board, except the statement of Senator Jones made on Friday. The commission will come to some definite conclusion as to its powers and plan of action for the first time when it gets the Florida returns. "Hence there is likely to be more delay about this case than any or perhaps all the others, because, when they have once laid down their course of action, they can rapidly decide all the other cases on the principles they have laid down for their own guidance: hence, while Florida will be reached to-day, the decision may not be reported to the joint meeting until next week. There seems to be no reason to doubt, however, that the whole count will be completed by the 14th of February at furthest, and by that time the country may hope to have rest from the excitement which has so greatly injured all business interests since the 10th of November.

Bets that Hayes will be Inaugurated. [By Telegraph to the Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.-The betting men are now offering heavy odds that the election of Gov. Hayes will be announced by the commission. One bet was made to-day of \$500 against \$200. Another bet at the odds of two to one was given up by the Hayes party, the Tilden man paying one-half of his stake to be let off. Among members of Congress there is not as much confidence in the result as there appears to be with the sporting fraternity. The active and talkative Republicans who give tone to the current conversational discussion have not recovered from aislike and dis trust of the commission scheme, and are not ready to take back their predictions that it will prove a Democratic

The Philadelphia Times tells of a barber, who advertises "silent shaves," and whose shop is, in consequence, crowded from morning until night

CAPTIONS Of the Acts and Resolutions. Passed by the General Assembly at Its Session of 1876-'77.

An Act preventing attempts to burn dwelling and other houses: (Makes it a misdement to wilfully attempt to burn any dwelling or uninhabited house, barn, stable or other outhouse, or mill or manufacturing house, cotton gin, tobacco barn, granary or turpentine distillary the property of another. Purthlery, the property of another. Punishment: fine, and imprisonment in the county jail, or the State's prison, at the discretion of the court.) Ratified 12th December, 1876.

An Act to incorporate Cameron, in Moore County: (Provides for a Mayor, five Commissioners and a Marshal, The following officers are appointed to hold their places until the regular election in May next, to-wit: Mayor, H. L. Muse; Commissioners, Moses Britton, Gideon McFadyea, Neill McDougall, John McDonald and Daniel McIntyre: Marshal Donald and Daniel McIntyre; Marshal, Malcolm Baker. Electors to reside one year in the State, and 30 days in the corporation.) Ratified 12th December,

An Act exempting the Cheraw and Salisbury Railroad from the the provisions of chapter 159, Acts of 1874-75, requiring a uniform gauge. [This company may adopt any gauge they deem best. Allowed three years to complete their road to Wadesboro.] Ratified 12th December, 1876.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Dan River Navigation Company: (Sec. 11 to be amended: That the President shall cause the work to be prosecuted diligently; and as soon as any portion thereof is finished, the company shall have the exclusive right of transportation thereon, with steamboats and other craft, at such rates that their net inome shall not exceed 25 per cent. on their capital stock, for one year. How-ever their right of transportation not to interfere with the rafting of lumber, &c., or with the unforfeited rights of other companies. Sec. 13 to be amended: Company to expend 10 per cent. of their capital stock on said navigation within 4 years from 1st January, 1877, or charter to be forfeited. General Assembly reserves the right to regulate the tolls. when the company's income exceeds 25 per cent. of the capital stock per annum.] Ratified 12th December, 1876.

An Act in favor of Madison county:

(Authorizes the Auditor to issue a duplicate warrant of \$100 No. 10, in place of one heretofore issued; which was endorsed to Cowan, McClung & Co., of Knoxville, Tenn., and lost through the mail.] Ratified 12th December, 1876.

An Act to provide for the registration of certain deeds: (The usual provision, extending the time two years to register deeds and other instruments, which have not been registered. Also, it provides for the registration of all deeds and other instruments, which have heretofore been regularly proved, and private examinations taken and certified according to the law then existing, and which have not been registered; the applicant paying to the Judge of Probate, the proper fees—Mortgages, Marriage Set-tlements and Deeds of Trust not in-

cluded.) Ratified 12th December, 1876.

Resolution, in regard to the Constitution:

[The Constitution as reported by the committee appointed to revise it and correct errors, &c., to be indexed by the Secretary of State, and bound up with the laws of the present session of this General Assembly: Also, 250 copies directed to be printed immediately for the members of the two Houses.] Passed 12th December, 1876.

An Act making Cape Fear River a lawful fence from its beginning throughout its entire length. Ratified 13th December, 1876.

An Act to provide for the construction of certain roads in Burke, McDowell, Mitchell, Yaneey and Caldwell: (Milton-Young, R. C. Burgin, A. M. Erwin and W. F. Craige, appointed commissioners to lay off a turnpike from Marion to South Toe river in Yancey county:— Columbus Tate, Israel Beck, Mark Winters, Gabe Pearcy and Ben Barrier, appointed commissioners to lay off a turnpike from Morganton, via Jonas Ridge, to the Asheville and Sparta turnpike: D. J. Torney, Durry Coffee, Laborn Lindsay and J. M. Harshaw, appointed commissioners on from Morgauton, via John Rives' store and Grandmother's Gap, to the Asheville and Sparta turnpike. (Sec. 4.) All persons convicted in the Superior Courts of Burke, McDowell, Mitchell Courts of Burke, McDowell, and Yancey of a misdemeanor, and who may be imprisoned in the county jail for 12 months or less shall be delivered by the Sheriff, having them in custody, to the above named commissioners to work on said turnpike roads, in the following order: 1st, to work on the Buck Creek turnpike, until that is completed, or for any cause, work ceases thereon; 2d, then to the commissioners of Jonas Ridge turnpike; 3d, then to the commissioners of John's river turnpike. The County commissioners of the several counties to furnish rations; the road commissioners to receipt for the convicts, and furnish guards, lodgings, tools, &c., and return them to the sheriffs, at the expiration of their term of service, or upon the completion of the road last above mentioned. Ratified, 13 Dec. 1876.

An Act, amending chap. 239, Laws of 1874-'75, by striking out "Little Creek Church" wherever it occurs. Ratified 13th Dec. 1876.

An Act, amending sec. 40, chap. 87, Bat. Rev.: "On the 4th line, after the word "office," to read, "or shall absent himself from the State for a period of ten days." Ratified 13th Dec. 1876.

There is still no change in the polit'situation in Louisiana, except that the hopes of the Democrats are daily rising, and symptoms of greater depression are manifest on the faces of the Republicans at the State House. Although strong guard is still maintained at the court house and police stations, all fea s of an armed conflict have been dismissed.

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one Bradley has been selected as after Judge.

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Maddox, a treasury agent who was in ant communication with Wells, nes to answer or explain his letters:

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Prospect of Peace-A Countess cides-Bark Injured-Sugar Ad-bd-Plenipotentiaries Leaving Mantinople.

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d fully one shilling per cwt., and alities 6 shillings, and is doing a

Jan. 31.—A despatch from Chandordy, ipotentiary to the late count Corte, the Ital-It there yesterday.

ANEOUS TELEGRAMS.

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Counsel for the Committee—The commission Sworn in Suspicious leturning Board Testimony.

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FLORIDA.

he Recauvase of the Vote-Report of the Majority of the House Committee --A Clear Majority for Tilden—the official Papers sent to the President

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. The majority report of the House Florida committee will show from certified copies of every return made to the board of canvassers 91 majority for Tilden. The President of the Senate received from Governor Drew the official proceedings of the Tilden electors and recanvass of the votes render new the returning board. show ng for Tilden a me jority of 998. The official papers are first, a certified copy of the act of the Legislature, authorizing the new returning board to recanvass the votes for President and Vice President; second, a copy of the returns as conversed by the new Roard and as canvassed by the new Board and certified by them; third, the Governor's certificate of the appointment and due authorization of the Tilden electors; 4th, the declaration by the electors themselves, duly certified, that they met and cast their votes for Tilden.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Florida Report Expected Lat Night in the House---Unimportant Proceedings---Nominations and con-

WASHINGTON Feb. 1.—The House passed a bill regulating admissions to the galleries during the count and adopted the report of the Judiciary committee at ring Belford from Colorado, who we seated.

Barnes, the New Orleans telegraph anager, was discharged from custody. The House is in session to-night. The Florida committee will probably

SENATE .- Hereford, of West Virginia, was seated to-day. The sinking fund for the Pacific Railroads was resumed without action. Adjourned: Confirmation: Smith, Post Master at

Canton, Mississippi.

Nomination: Chas S. Mills, Collector of Customs at Richmond.

January Special Term, 1877.

SUPERIOR COURT, WAKE COUNTY

HIS HOVOR DAVID SCHENCK.

JUDGE PRESIDING.

CALENDAR.

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No. 174. State of N. C. vs. Heck. No. 275. Gardiner vs. Lewis. No. 87. Harris vs. Separks, Hicks & Co. No. 163. R. & D. R. R. Co., vs. Dunn. No. 67. Phillips vs. N. C. R. R. Co.

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